

APPENDIX 2 - HEAVY-DUTY ON-ROAD FLEET MODERNIZATION

Fleet modernization provides incentives to replace old high-polluting heavy-duty vehicles with newer, lower emission replacement vehicles. The fleet modernization source category provides real emission benefits by retiring the high polluting vehicle earlier than would have been expected through normal attrition. Six million dollars has been set aside for the 2007 Heavy Duty On-Road Fleet Modernization program. AQMD implements its Heavy-Duty On-Road Fleet Modernization program under a separate Program Announcement, which can be downloaded at http://aqmd.gov/rfp/attachments/2007/PA2007-01.doc. This program is open until all funding is exhausted.

Carl Moyer Program funds for fleet modernization projects are used to offset part of the cost of the replacement vehicle. Project funds also pay for a diesel particulate emission reduction device to further reduce emissions and an electronic monitoring unit (EMU) to verify miles traveled in California and the South Coast Air Basin.

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AQMD will issue a new program announcement when additional funding becomes available. Please consult AQMD's Business Opportunities webpage to download the new program announcement when it is available. This link is http://www.aqmd.gov/rfp/index.html